### WS IRWM Small Grant

Flowmeter installation at Good Humus Produce



#### Background

- •YSGA received small grant funding to install flowmeters for landowners interested in gauging their water use
- •Jeff and Annie Main of Good Humus Produce expressed interest
- Located in the Hungry Hollow
- •Hungry Hollow is an Area of Special Concern identified in the Yolo Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan
- Many farms in the area are completely reliant on groundwater, no surface water connection



#### Groundwater in the Hungry Hollow

State Well #11N02W35E002M



#### Groundwater in the Hungry Hollow

State Well #10N02W14A001M



#### **Project Goals**



Allow Good Humus to accurately monitor their water use for irrigation.



Water use data can be utilized to evaluate the effectiveness of water conservation strategies.



Installing a flowmeter on a YCFC monitoring well will provide valuable data that can be used to relate water production to observed groundwater levels.

#### Project Overview

- •AG90 Series Electromagnetic Insertion Flow Meter was installed on July 25, 2023
- •AG90 was chosen for relative ease of installation
- A small hole is drilled in the outlet pipe, into which the electromagnetic probe is inserted
- •As of August 14, the meter read that 5.175 AF had been pumped by the well during peak irrigation season



## Installation



## Meter Reading



# Thank you!

Questions?